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So when the increased business of fall and winter is reflected in your telephone service by a slowing down and by more frequent "busy" reports, remember that we are using every means at our command to keep our service up to its usual standard. Every available position at our switchboard is occupied and it is difficult to secure additional positions because Uncle Sam's requirements have reduced the available supply of material to the point where manufacturers cannot make a definite promise of delivery.

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## HOME CIRCLE COLUMN

### Self Taxation.

People in general seem to enjoy growing about taxes. This subject makes a theme for conversation in the family. It inspires the loungers in the corner grocery, and it puts life into many a political campaign. Why, our forefathers actually plunged into rebellion, fought seven years, and finally won our national independence from Great Britain, on a question of taxes. If you want to see a hot town meeting in a back country township, just propose an extra tax for some new road and a bridge.

And yet there is one sort of tax that is not grumbled at. That is to say, the taxpayers themselves rarely denounce it or dispute it. They keep on paying it serenely all their lives unless they happen to tumble into the poor house. Their friends and relatives often scold about it, but they, while they feel its pressure, go right on paying out. Even the poor men keep these payments up when all others are cut off.

We refer to the tax which men pay to fashion and appetite. The sums thus expended every year—for tobacco and liquors only—are stupendous. This sort of taxpaying begins early in life, when the youngster gets into the habit of treating himself to cider, beer, ale, porter, whiskey, a cigarette, or a cigar. After a bit he can't get along without it and so he binds himself to pay taxes to it all his life. He grows up, his school tax, and his church tax, but his self-indulgence tax he passes out without a murmur even though it may have made him a poor man. Sometimes he is conscious of it, but he has become a slave to his habits and cannot free himself. The socialists do a great deal of growling about the burdens put by capital upon the poor. The worst burden poverty has to bear is the tax which it voluntarily pays to appetite and passion.

### When Marriage is a Failure.

When there is too much lackey. When dinner is not ready at dinner time.

When either of the parties marry for money.

When the watchword is each for himself.

When children are obliged to clamor for their rights.

When neither husband and wife take a vacation.

When he snores the loudest while she kindles the fires.

When the vacations are taken by one side of the house only.

When the children are given the neck and back of the chicken.

When a man attempts to tell his wife what kind of a bonnet she must wear.

When one of the parties engages in business that is not approved by the other.

When politeness and manners and kindly attentions are reserved for the company, or visits abroad.

When a man's Christmas presents to his wife consists of bootjacks, and shirts and gloves for himself.

When the money that should go for a book goes for what only one side of the house knows anything about.

When the lord of creation pays more for cigars than his better half does for hosiery, boots and bonnets.

When both parties persist in arguing over a subject on which they never have nor never can think alike.

When father takes half of the pie and leaves the other half for the one that made it and her eight children.

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If anything pleases your eye or palate, or aids to your enjoyment of life in any way, say so. It is not fair to expect anyone to work for your pleasure and then take it for granted that you are pleased, when, perhaps, neither words, looks or actions express anything of the kind.

It is bad enough to expect grown people to understand your feelings, but in mercy to the children do give them the word of praise which their efforts to help or please you deserves.

It is not only right but good policy as well to know this. You have only to watch the face of a child when it has tried to help you; give it the word of praise or thanks which it deserves and watch the lighting up of the little face, then take note of its actions and very soon you will see that it is watching for an opportunity to do something else for you; and if you ask the favor he will willingly lend the little feet and hands to the bidding. On the other hand take their efforts as a matter of course and see the face show how keenly the neglect is felt.

While human nature remains what it is, a word of appreciation will never be lost on old or young and is one of the best paying investments which can be made. Some say, I don't care whether they like it or not, but that is all nonsense for man, woman or child; we every one of us feel our heart grow warm under merited praise, and if we get a little more of it than we deserve which rarely happens in this world, we try to deserve more next time.

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What volumes our faces say! Some speak of love and kindness, some of anger and hatred; others of pride and rebellion, and others still of selfishness. We can't help our faces talking, but we can make them say pleasant things; and all should try to have them do so.

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The voice of duty is never still. It whispers to us morning, noon and night; it reaches us from the roar of the wild tempest, the sigh of the summer winds, the soft, gentle murmur of the wayside brook. That still small voice will not be hushed.

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## ITALIAN MOTOR BOAT SINKS HUN WARSHIP

THRILLING FEAT OF BRAVE LITTLE BAND OF ALLIED PATROL CREW.

Venice, Wednesday, June 12.—Commander Blazo, whose remarkable exploit in sinking an Austrian battleship from a motor boat in the Adriatic has thrilled Italy, tells a graphic story of the encounter in which he took part and during which another Austrian battleship was badly damaged or destroyed by another motor boat in charge of Commander Milaze. It is possible 2,000 sailors were lost during the encounter.

I was on patrol scout duty as usual off the Dalmatian coast near Pass Selve, between the island of Asinelle and Premuda. I had just finished my patrol and, as it would soon be daylight, had turned for my base, when about 10 miles away I saw a great enveloping cloud of smoke. It appeared like a blot through the early light.

I thought at first it was some boat which had discovered me and was giving chase. I determined that the safest course was to turn back and get it before it got me. Here is where my luck as my friends call it, looked like misfortune, as it is no fun to be chased. Anyway I determined to make the best of a bad fix. After turning back I said to my two crews of 10 men to each boat:

Fellows, the Italian scout boats have been waiting for two years, and the whole Italian navy has been trying to destroy Austrian ships for three years. Are you willing to risk all on a chance of obtaining glory and the country's gratitude?

To a man they answered yes.

We were speeding back with our motors muffled, when to my amazement I discovered two battleships surrounded by a number of destroyers, which later were counted as ten.

I assigned the second battleship to the other motor boat, while I took the first. I slipped inside the line of destroyers between the third and fourth of these craft. I was not noticed in the light fog. The water was smooth and my torpedo got off nicely. My first with a 500-pound charge, struck the first dreadnought between the two funnels, while the second struck her just aft the second funnel.

As the torpedoes exploded I saw the mighty ship tremble, two great fountains of water rose high in the air and black smoke welled up from the rents in her side.

Then I ran for it, escaping between the second and third destroyers in the line. I was discovered by the fourth destroyer at a distance of 150 yards and fired on me. I was too close, however, to be hit. Then I dropped a depth charge bomb such as is generally used against submarines. Fortunately for us it exploded under the destroyer. I saw her leap into the air, turn sharply and then stop, giving up the chase and permitting us to escape. The other destroyers were busy trying to save the lives of the sailors on the dreadnought.

## BUSSEYVILLE.

Mrs. O. L. Roy and little daughters, Thelma and Melba, returned to their home at Huntington last Saturday after spending a few weeks with home-folks at this place.

Miss Corda Pigg and Rexie Brannam were in the Ville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Haywood and children were out driving Sunday afternoon.

Mr. D. L. Pigg is attending the big meeting in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Cullie Meek and little daughter, Arlean, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frando Meek.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Pigg spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cox Carter and Mrs. Lark Graham, of Ellen.

Mrs. Elsa Ball is visiting her daughters in Sharon, Pa.

Henry Bussey called on his Louisa friends Sunday afternoon.

Several of the people were out joy-riding Sunday afternoon.

Bryan Miller called on Gertrude Pigg Sunday afternoon.

D. C. Hughes attended court in Louisa last week.

Misses Lois and Virginia Stringfellow called on their Louisa friends last Sunday.

Mrs. B. McComas and son, Guy, of Huntington, W. Va., are expecting to visit home folks at this place soon.

Johnnie Martin attended Sunday school here Sunday.

There will be church here Saturday night and Sunday morning by our pastor, Rev. S. B. Goodbey.

Kilima.

## GIRLS! LEMON JUICE IS SKIN WHITENER

How to make a creamy beauty lotion for a few cents.

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quart pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of ordinary cold cream. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier. Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands.

## RED CROSS AT WALBRIDGE.

The Walbridge auxiliary of the A. R. C. will serve June 22, on lawn at their rooms, beer, cake, sandwiches, etc., for the Red Cross.

## HEWLETT, W. VA.

The people in this community continue to be very busy working their corn.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Saulsberry and children, of Amherstdale, W. Va., after spending a few days with relatives here returned to their home.

Mrs. Kate Elkins, of Portsmouth, O., passed thru here Sunday enroute to Horseford, where she will spend several days with her parents.

Ernest McComas was at this place Saturday attending to business matters.

Miss Susie Wellman, of Fort Gay, spent the week-end with Miss Shirley Billups.

Miss Margaret Mullins has returned home from Louisa.

Mrs. Kitty Thompson came up Sunday from Kenova where she spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Elsie Dean.

News reached here last week that our friend Richard French Hewlett, has arrived safely in France.

Mrs. G. Sturgell had as her attractive guests Sunday Misses Florence Skeels and Florence Loar.

Willie Lester has returned from a business trip to Wyoming county.

The sick of our community are improving we are glad to say.

Miss Ida Lester was the charming guest of Miss Gladys McComas Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Ed Kirk, of Louisa passed thru here Tuesday enroute to Catalpa, Ky., to attend to business matters.

Miss Bertha Hensley entertained Sunday Misses Lizzie and Eliza Akers Margaret Mullins, Flora and Edith Alley, of Louisa.

Gustava Lester has reached home after an extended visit with friends and relatives in Wyoming county.

Bertha Hensley was at Meridith on Tuesday visiting friends and shopping.

Gus Hanley was seen motoring thru Hewlett Sunday afternoon.

Dimples.

## DESERVES A GOLD MEDAL FOR THIS

Cincinnati authority tells how to dry up any corn or callus so it lifts right off.

You corn-pestered men and women need suffer no longer. Wear the shoes that nearly killed you before, says this Cincinnati authority, because a few drops of frezone applied directly on a tender, aching corn stops soreness at once and soon the corn loosens so it can be lifted out, root and all, without a bit of pain.

A quarter of an ounce of frezone costs very little at any drug store, but is sufficient to take off every hard or soft corn or callus. This should be tried, as it is inexpensive and is said not to inflame or even irritate the surrounding tissue or skin.

If your wife wears high heels she will be glad to know of this.

## WE ARE HIGHEST BUYERS ON WOOL, HIDES AND FRIERS.

We don't aim to make one cent as long as the war lasts. While the soldier boys are working we will help feed them by cutting prices down on all kinds of groceries. We want to sell everything in our store at cost for next thirty days. Pie peaches, big cans, 15 cents, can salmon, 15c, large size 14c, small size. No. 5 sugar, granulated, white, 10 lbs for 90c. Magic Poultry Feed 15c; 2 lb Hominy 15c. Peeled Peaches 3 lb can 15c. One bar Clean-easy Soap or Alpine Soap 10c. 6 boxes Matches (600) for 5c. We cut prices on Tobacco, one package 25c; 2 for 25c. Compound Lard 25c; pure lard 30c. Good Coffee 15c. Will cure any headache. If not, we give you a gold dollar. We cut prices on meal. Sell at cost to help win the war.

We buy your bacon and pay cash. We buy cheap and sell cheap. Everything bought early and can sell cheap.

We pay high market for spring chickens. Flat Cap farmers and merchants write us for prices.

We pay 22c in groceries or 20c cash for old hens until June 17th. On market veal calf hides 22c cash lb. \$10 for every cow hide you bring us, if the weight is in the hide.

No. 1 tub washed wool 90c groceries or 85c cash. Greasy wool 65c, clear of burs.

We want to buy all herbs. Mayapple root 4c lb. Wild ginseng 45c and 60c oz. Yellow root \$4 lb. dry. One box O. K. chewing gum, one box Spearmint to any dealer who wants to retail it, \$1.20.

In Men's Socks we lead, 2 pairs 25c. Travlers want lunch at cut prices. Cut prices on ice cold pop, lemon, orange, fresh loaf bread. Meal arriving daily at cut prices.

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## MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION

To the Citizens of Louisa: Friday, June 21, 1918, is officially designated National War Savings Day by the President of the United States and the Secretary of the Treasury. All loyal citizens of this community will accordingly devote the afternoon of said day, beginning at two o'clock, to attend the public meeting of your neighborhood and to subscribing for a specified amount of War Savings Stamps, to be purchased during the remaining months of the year.

All who are able should pledge themselves to save and invest to the limit allowed by law and should promote the sale of this valuable Government security in large amounts during Pledge Week in Kentucky, June 24 to June 30 next.

AUGUSTUS SNIDER, Mayor.

Everybody can buy War Savings Stamps.

## DEEP HOLE.

There will be an ice cream supper and entertainment here Saturday night, June 22, proceeds for Red Cross. Everybody come as we are expecting a nice time, and plenty of good cream and cake.

Sunday school is still progressing nicely with Miss Emma DeLong, superintendent.

Oscar Bailey and wife, of Louisville, visited here last week.

Mrs. Sadie Diamond has returned from a visit to her husband who is employed at Portsmouth.

Sumner Judd and family have moved to Portsmouth, O.

E. Barker visited relatives here on Saturday and Sunday.

Sal May, wife, and Misses Della and Martha May attended singing here Sunday night.

Wm. DeLong visited J. L. Clark on Sunday.

Miss Sadie Diamond visited relatives near Yatesville Sunday.

Miss Neva Cassie, of Yatesville, is staying with Mrs. Sadie Diamond.

Lee Fuller and Mrs. Mabel Chaffin have gone to Ashland to preach.

Henry and Don May spent Sunday with friends here.

Worth Blankenship, of Yatesville, was a pleasant caller in our neighborhood Sunday.

Mrs. Faust and little grandson, Homer Burchett, are at Pikeville having their eyes treated.

Miss Maud Burchett is here from Clarkburg, W. Va., visiting home folks.

Several of the young folks of this place were out kodaking Sunday afternoon.

The wedding bells are to be rung in our neighborhood again real soon.

Miss Allie Diamond is visiting with her sister at Fallsburg.

Miss Martha Clark is very sick with heart and nerve trouble.

Everybody remember the ice cream supper and come.

Red Roses.

## POTTERS.

Miss Beatrice Saylor is visiting her parents at this place.

G. J. Carter and Dan and Hattie Carter motored to Yatesville Sunday.

Margaret Mullins who has been at Louisa, has returned home.

Jacob Thompson was in Louisa Saturday.

Miss Marie Mullins was at Hewlett, W. Va., Sunday.

Everett Johnson was calling on Miss Blanche Walters last Sunday.

Mrs. Riddle Fortner who has been visiting at Crum, W. Va., has returned home.

Church at this place next Sunday by Bro. M. A. Hay we are informed. Everybody come out to hear him as he is a very interesting preacher.

A girl received letter from her soldier friend, Mr. Roscoe Boggs, stating that he was going across soon or that he was real anxious to go.

Mr. Dewey Lewis, of Fallsburg, was shopping at G. J. Carters last Friday.

We are sorry to say that Bill Penix is real sick.

Mr. Fred Burke and wife passed through here Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. Burke.

Miss Hensley who is visiting her friends and relatives at Huntington, W. Va., is expected home soon.

Help win the war by saving. Messrs George and Marion Potter and Charley Blankenship attended court at Louisa last Wednesday. Geo. expects to leave soon for Camps.

Mr. House Cochran, of Fallsburg, spent Sunday with Miss Margaret Marie Mullins.

## N. & W. Norfolk & Western

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## CANS FOR SALE.

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